

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1888.

*Mysore District.**Rain.*—Nil.*Crops.*—Standing crops in good condition. Horse-gram, turar, oil-seeds, paddy, Bengal-gram, ballar and sugar-cane were harvested.*Health.*—Generally good.*Cattle.*—Murrain prevalent in the Mysore, Hunsur, Heggaldewankote, Nanjangul and Mandya Taluks; the number of deaths therefrom was 531 and 1,110 from all other causes.*Prices.*—The prices of food grains were—

	<i>Seers per Rupee.</i>		
1st sort rice	..	..	12
2nd do	..	..	15
Ragi	..	..	36
Horse-gram	..	..	32

H. NANNUNDA RAO, ARS,
for Deputy Commissioner.*Shimoga District.**Rain.*—

	l.	c.		l.	c.
Shimoga Taluk	0	44	Sagar Taluk	0	0
Channagiri do	0	0	Nagar do	0	48
Honnali do	0	0	Tirthahalli do	0	5
Shikarpe do	0	0	Kumsi Sub-Dn.	0	0
Sorub do	0	30			

Thermometer.—The average readings of thermometer were 70·35 at 9 A. M. and 73·60 at 3·30 P. M.*Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane and kar-paddy.*State of crops.*—In good condition.*Crops harvested.*—*Panicum Italianum*, *Panicum Milliare*, pigeon pea, green gram, black gram, castor beans, cow gram, Bengal-gram, horse-gram, sugar-cane, arecanut, paddy, *Eleusine corocina* and wild gingelly.*Health.*—Generally good.*Cattle.*—Good.*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 16—0—0 were taken up for cultivation and those at Rs. 77 relinquished.*Prices.*—Stationary.V. P. MADHATA RAO,
Deputy Commissioner.

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NOTICES.

The 25th February 1888.

Tenders are invited for uprooting the old sandal wood roots now remaining in the Reserved Forests, pisaries, Undwas and ryots' lands in Coorg and bringing them to the Sandal Koti at Eraserpet for a period of two years beginning from the 1st April 1888.

Tenders should specify the rates per kandi at which they are prepared to uproot, and deliver the roots at the Sandal Koti from each taluk.

The successful tenderer will be required to sign a contract bond within ten days of the acceptance of his tender and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100 as security for the due fulfilment of the contract, which will be forfeited in case of any infringement of the conditions laid down in the bond.

Tenders will be received up to the 20th March 1888, and will be opened by the undersigned on the 21st March 1888 at his office in the presence of those interested who choose to attend.